## TAFT MAKES LITTLE HEAD-WAY WITH THE TARIFF BILL

Conferees So Far Unsuccessful.

### DINNER NOT EFFECTIVE

Time Required to Formulate Report.

the results of last night's tariff dinner the house for Jones. at the White house, President Taft ex-The president declared with reference to placing raw materials on the free list, especially hides, that it is his chief interest now in finding out what could be done with reference to manufactured products.

He called attention today to the fact that he had been inadvertently misrepresented in demanding-free raw mater ials all along the line.

The president's position as outlined in his statement of last Friday was that he favored an inquiry to find out what degree of protection, if any, was necessary in the matter of ore, hides, coal, etc. He further stated at that time he was not committeed to any principal of free raw materials, but was committed to a downward revision of the tariff.

President Hopeful.

Mr. Taft was not optimistic in his with uc loss of life. talk today as to the time that will be required to whip the measure into

Saturday or Monday. Washington, July 22.-Senator Cummins of lowa, who is a leader among the "progressive" senators, today took breakfast with the presthemselves to be very much in accord. Cummins spoke for a coterie of 10 senators who voted against the raphic wires are down. Angletown Payne-Aldrich bill as it pleases the senate. He assured the president of guif coast south of Galveston. It is senators to the policy of a lower tariff. He was told in return that the president was losing no opportunity One man was seriously injured. to impress the wisdom of such a course upon the senators and members of the house. Cummins will tenight give out a statement regard ing the attitude of the "progressives." He will say that it is not necessarily free raw material that the "progressives" demand, but rather a general lowering of duties.

Serves Notice on Leaders.

Washington, July 22.-President Taft served notice on the congressional leaders of the republican party at the White house harmony dinner last night that the country is looking to them to keep the pledges made last fall for a downward revision of the tariff. So far as he is able, the president informed his guests he intends to see that these pledges are kept.

Friends of Senator Burrows are responsible for the statement that the dinner failed to advance in any particular the Taft plans for free raw materials and material reductions. Seaator Burrows and those who oppose free not large raw materials told the president, it is said, that free iron ore, free hides and free coal cannot pass the senate. The president insisted strongly and ur. hurricane which swept over the gulf. gently that if the senate conferees. would yield the senate would accept talities, on the tarpon fishing pier, the free list. In this assertion he had were washed into the gulf and drowned. the partial support of Senator Crane.

The president then said that the question would have to be threshed out of the tarpon pier were marooned in a further in the conference, and if no

## PANAMA TO BE READY IN 1915: COL. GOETHALS

Washington, July 22. - Substantial of \$200,000. progress in canal construction all along the line is shown by reports coming to the Washington office of the Isthmian Junction, and three washouts on the canal commission. Excavation work by Norhern Pacific near Iron river. Americans now approximates 80,000,000 cubic yards-almost as much as the damiged. total quantity of dirt taken out by the Ashland, Wis., July 22.—The sit- would be. Senator Aldrich is no doubt come to make him hostile to an in-French during the period they were uation in the flood districts is worse honest to his convictions. He has come tax, and his Wall street friends engaged in operations there. Less today. Nothing has been heard from acted as a tool of the greedy special would be hostile to an income tax for than 100,000,000 cubic yards of earth Odanah since 3 o'clock this morning, interests so long he really believes it the same reason. remain to be removed from the ditch. A special train has left for Odanah would be a step toward anarchy for Louisiana would probably refuse to Colonel Goethals has estimated that earring boats and men. The train congress to pass a law requiring the ratify, fearing as a possible reaction a the great waterway will be ready for servee on all roads has been aban-rich to pay a tax on their incomes, as reduction in the tariff on sugar, the transit of ships by Jan. 1, 1915. doned

to go back to congress for settlement. Persuasive Efforts With It is the cpinion of Senator Crane, (Continued on Page Six.)

lieved to be that of an Armenian was found packed in a trunk in a lodging President Not Cptimistic as to house here today. The head was mutilated and there was a bullet wound over the heart. The body was fully clothed. In a pocket a bank book was found bearing the name of Ainas K. Morijian. The room was rented eight weeks ago by Frank Jones, a shoe factory worker who, it is said, had not Washington, July 22.- In discussing occupied it since last Monday. On today with various of his callers on May 20 a new trunk was brought to

Fortified by Sea Wall Against Hurricane Resembling That of 1900.

FISHING PARTY PERISHES

Swept from Pier Near City-Property Damage Small-Wisconsin Cloudburst.

Austin, Texas, July 22 .- A terrific hurricane swept over the city today. The damage is estimated at \$100,000,

Houston, July 22.-An unconfirmed eport reached here today that a pleas-

encampment at Palacios ground and it is understood found Texas, the south Galveston special train started from Houston in an as a result of vesterday's hurricane.

Reports of Loss.

New Orleans, July 22.-With the restablishment this afternoon of comsiana, further reports of loss of life is the result of yesterday's hurricane are being received.

Little Damage in City.

Galveston, Texas, July 22.-Fortified chind its 17-foot sea wall and elevaed to a point above the danger line, Galveston yesterday passed safely through a hurricane which resembled somewhat in its intensity the disastrons storm of 1900,

The part of the island upon which the city is situated was again inundated the overflowing sea water reaching a height of seven or more feet. That portion of the island which has been protected suffered comparatively little harm. No lives were lost in Galveston and the property damage was

Ten Washed Into Gulf.

Ten dead is the total number of lives lost as far as is known in the While the city escaped without fa-Those drowned were members of a fishing party and with the employes mics in the national capitol.

Wisconsin Damage \$1,000,000.

Milwaukee, Wis., July 22.-Dispatches from various points in northern high as \$1,000,000 has been done by the doudburst.

Some of the damage is as follows: Mirengo valley, well settled, swept of everything, even houses being carried away.

White River power plant, several tunity, mile from Ashland, ruined, with loss

Tvo thousand feet of track carried

TAFT TO MAKE A TRIP



PLANNING HIS PERSONALLY CONDUCTED TOUR-The President Is Busy Arranging His Itinerary for the Fall-News Item.

### MOTHER OF SUTTON BELIEVES SON WAS BEATEN TO DEATH; THEN SHOT

tenant Edward S. Willing resumed tified that he reached the scene of shape, but he expressed hope that the ure yacht with 10 guests on board the witness stand today at the op- the tragedy in time to see Adams conference report will be possible by sunk in the storm yesterday while ening of the court of inquiry in punching Sutton. Lieutenant Bevan. James N. Sutton. Henry E. Davis, they had all heard the first shots, counsel for Sutton's mother, contin- almost at this same time as Lieuten-New Orleans. July 22 .- On ac- ued his cross-examination on Will- ant Willing, had testified that he saw ount of anxiety felt over the fate ing. He took the witness over and no blows exchanged. ident and spent two hours with him of a thousand or more persons in at- over the scene of the fight between As Lieutenant Willing described in a discussion of the tariff situa- tendance on the State Baptist Young Adams and Sutton, but could not Sutton, either standing or on his tion. They went over the entire People's encampment at Palacios, materially shake the officer's story. naterially shake the Surgeon General Pickerell, who ateffort to reach that point. All teleg- tified that the bullet entered Sutton's it was too much for Mrs. Rose Sut- Allens Sons' Tanning company two is a town of 2,000 people on the little to the right; that the shot was tenant, who sat directly opposite the jured, some seriously, the continued adherence of those reported this afternoon nearly every head, in his opinion, and could have at Willing and turning to Mr. Van strike for increased wages. house in the place is badly damaged been self inflicted. He said Sutton's Dyke, one of her counsel, said indigmight have caused death,

Theory of Mother,

During the cross-examination of the fourth witness to the killing of nunication with many isolated points Lieutenant James N. Sutton yesterlong the gulf coast of Texas and Lou-day, the mother and sister of the 300 PEOPLE PERISH slain lieutenant indicated what they are attempting to prove-that he was beaten to death and afterwards

evidence differing from the others.

Annapolis, Md., July 22.-Lieu-| by the stain man's relative. He tes-

the back of the neck with one hand tended Sutton after he was shot, tes- and punching him with the other, this morning at the works of N. R. head on the top near the back, a ton Parker, sister of the dead lieu- men were shot and several others in fired with in two feet of Sutton's witness. She smiled incredulously One thousand men had gone on body showed no other injuries which nantly: "Imagine a wild man, as of the big plant. At the time a comthey describe my brother to have mittee representing the strikers was been, standing up with a revolver in each hand and taking a punching seeking to make a settlement of the like that. It it wholly incredible."

## IN AN EARTHQUAKE

Victoria, B. C., July 22 .- News Lieutenant Edward S. Willing, the was brought by the Norwegian streets, many of them armed, Fifteen fourth witness, while vigorously con- steamer Tricolor of a disastrous hundred men have joined the ranks of tending the same as the other three earthquake on the west coast of Su- the strikers. The sheriff has asked officers previously examined that matra in mid-June. According to the Governor Davidson for troops to pro-Lieutenant Sutton shot himself after report received by the Tricolor, 300 tect property and lives of employes rea struggle in which he fired several lives were lost. The earthquake fol- maining at the tannery. shots, nevertheless gave one bit of lowed an eruntion of Mount Korintii, a volcanic peak, 12,400 feet high, inwhich was seized upon with avidity land 50 miles from Indrapure.

## STRIKE; SHOOTING

Riot at Works of Allen Tannery in Kenosha, Wis .- Number Injured.

Sheriff Appeals for Troops to Protect Lives and Property.

Kenosha ,Wis., July 22.-In a rio

The riots started with the opening in the general office of the company difficulties, but the management called off all negotiations, and the committee was escorted out of the office. The officials and deputies armed themsel-

ves for protection. Armed Strikers Parade Streets.

Crowds of strikers are parading the

Troops Held in Readiness Camp Douglas, Wis., July 22 .- Governor Davidson has ordered troops to

### ALDRICH HAS A GOLD BRICK IN LIEU OF AN INCOME

Friends of a genuine income tax realize only too well now that the prowas but a part of the conspiracy de-rich handed the people a "gold brick" their monopoly on American markets vised by Aldrich and others to defeat in the form of "an opportunity to and making it impossible for them to Wisconsin indicate that damage aggre- the income tax. It will be recalled amend the constitution." Under the extort excessive prices, gating at least \$500,000 and possibly as that no lesser a legal authority than constitutional provision for an amendamend the constitution; that he be- sufficient to defeat an amendment. lieved the supreme court would uphold

It is practically impossible to amend necticut, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, rich would never have consented so Louisiana. awa on the Omaha road near Ashland smilingly to the adoption of the joint resolution providing for the proposi- nated by the Southern Pacific railroad, wieldy and cumbrons," are his exact Naivasha Wednesday, and after camp- tional campaign that ended in the first tion. Senator Aldrich stated on the E. H. Harriman, who controls the words. Bayfield state fish hatchery heavily floor of the senate he always had been Southern Pacific republican machine in against an income tax and always California, has a sufficiently large in-

not supplant a tax on necessities.

an income tax if given another oppor- do it: Maine, New Hampshire, Ver- ful in the history of the nation.

mont, Massachusetts, Delaware ,Con-

The California legislature is domi-

Ithey do in Great Britain, Japan, The New England states are bitterly

France, Germany, Holland, Austria, antagonistic to an income tax for two (Special Correspondence of The Argus.) Denmark, Switzerland, Australia and reasons. One is that wealth is con- foundation for the stories which Washington, July 19.—That there New Zealand. The Rhode Island sen- centrated in these states, and wealth have been circulated." will never be an income tax if it is ator is frank enough to admit that he would be taxed under the proposed necessary to wait for three-fourths of is convinced the best way to raise legislation. The more important rea- torney and is making preparation to from Poland in May last, the state legislatures to ratify the pro- revenue to run the government is to son is that New England fears that if prosecute the person who started the would yield the senate would accept a report carrying these materials to seven miles from the city, 10 persons posed amendment to the constitution, tax necessities, and that "until the new revenue is raised from the rich scandalous stories about himself and is the conviction of senators and bill is taken from his hands," he will the tax on things manufactured in other students of politics and econo- see to it that a tax on wealth does New England would be reduced. gan. Lower tariff rates on manufactured ar-In response to the overwhelming deposed amendment of the constitution mand for an income tax Senator Ald. foreign manufacurers, thus damaging

> The prospect of amending the coa-President Taft himself was the first ment it is possible for 4 per cent of stitution to pave the way for an into express the opinion that it would the voters to nullify the will of the come tax may be appreciated when it not be necessary, even if possible, to other 96 per cent. Twelve states are is understood that over 2,000 futile attempts have been made in that direc-Here are the states that will likely tion, while only 15 have been success

> Chief Justice Marshall's Words. So great a jurist as Chief Justice the constitution. Otherwise Mr. Ald. New Jersey, Michigan, California and Marshall conceded that the majorities required to change the constitution are too high. "The machinery is un-

> > When the ratification of the const tution was before the patriots. Patrick Henry refused to vote for ratification, for he saw that once it has been passed there was practically no way to change it.

From 1789 to 1803 124 amendments were proposed and 10 adopted. These

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at once for Kenosha, but will not dis patch them there until he hears fur King Alfonso Cancels All ther from Kenosha authorities.

# DEATH IN TRAIL

ific rains Tuesday, last night's cloud burst caused a scene of devastation in Duluth today. The loss as now computed will reach \$1,500,000. Three children were drowned during the storm. The entire hillside became practically one great water fall Sewers were totally inadequate to carry off the rushing waters. Streets and avenues were quickly turned into torrents with water running three feet deep. Twenty or more houses washed away along small creeks in the city suburbs. Several narrow escapes are reported from drowning on the streets in main thoroughfares.

### FIND REV. FARMER

Claims He Is Pursued by Two Gamblers, Who Are Blackmailing Him.

### NO TROUBLE WITH HIS WIFE many others were arrested.

Shows Permit for Vacation, But Will Not Return to His Church in De Kalb.

Milwaukee, July 22.-Rev. John E. Farmer, whose disappearance eers disarmed. from DeKalb, Ill., has been given much publicity during the last week, was found in Milwaukee today. Dr.

ity given his alleged difficulties. Since leaving his church in Dehis brother, a railroad man, at Sneterday to visit Rev. C. J. R. Bulley, are preaching a hely war and are pre-paster of the West Allis Methodist paring to join the Moors at Melilla, hibited, in answer to the statement that he had resigned his pastorate FEWER ALIENS ARE under a cloud, a permit from the board of trustees of his church for a vacation during the month of July, August and September, or until the

conference meets in the fall. Will Engage in Business. He said he did not intend to return to his church work in DeKalb. but would resign at the end of his

vacation and engage in business. tion and will not again enter the

According to Dr. Farmer, he is be- bureau of immigration of the departing pursued by two Seattle gamblers, ment of commerce and labor. who attempted to extort money from him for the suppression of tales of admitted for June was \$5,470, as against improper conduct during visits made 107,839 during May. A marked inby the minister to Chicago.

Wronged: Will Suc.

wife and myself," he said. "She figures being 1,646, against 1,095. is now away on her usual summer va- An interesting feature of the statiscation. She is visiting her aunt, Mrs. tics is that while by far the largest Moore, at Redlands, N. J., and has immigration came from southern Italy been there for two weeks. She has and Poland during the month of June, a vacation every summer and there these two countries show the greatest is nothing out of the ordinary. We falling off in the number of allens adare very fond of each other and there mitted during June, compared with has been no trouble. There is no May. The total number of immigrants

# IN AFRICAN WILDS

Colonel Roosevelt Abandons His Hunt and Is in Camp Writing a Book.

22.—Colonel Roosevelt, whose party is shooting since last Thursday, but in- was the remnant of his line in May stead has remained at the camp writ- and July wheat, bought months ago ing here for three days will go to Nairobi. The expedition will start for that ran into the millions. Kenya province Aug. 5. The members shooting rare specimens, their collec-Naivasha Masal preserve,

Engagements on Account of Situation.

### Duluth, July 22.—Following ter- PEOPLE OPPOSE WAS

Relatives Attenue to Departure of Sol in Streets of Ma

Madrid, July 22.-King count of the serious situa developed in Morocco.

It is possible General merly captain general in placed in supreme comma Spanish force in Morocco. Bu night while the Spanish tre preparing to leave for Male lies of soldiers surrounded 4h station and charged the the object of preventing th

of their relatives. A desperate melee followed, in which the police used swords and revolvers.

A dozen persons were wounded and

Entire Buttalion Revolus.

Barcelona, July 22.-A riot broke about to be embarked for Melilia. An entire battalion revolted and thr ened the colonel and other officers with their bayonets. Other troops were hastily summoned and the mutin-

Hard Campaign Predicted. Melilla, July 22.—General Marina

commander of the Spanish forces in cruising in the gulf, all lives being vestigating the death of Lieutenant who ran down to the place where spection of outposts. The general declares the Moors displayed desperate Kalb, Dr. Farmer has been visiting courage, using modern weapons. He predicts a long, hard campaign. The boygan. He came to Milwankee yes- natives of the Souk region in Morocco

## COMING TO STATES

Decrease in Immigration Most Noticeable Among Poles and Italians.

Washington, July 22.-The tide of While he was pastor of the De- immigration into the United States is Kalb Methodist church he built a on the wane. A falling off of 23,369, new church, which will be dedicated or approximately 20 per cent, in the next fall, but he does not intend to number of immigrant aliens admitted return to participate in the dedica- into all ports for the month of June, as compared with May last, is shown by statistics just made public by the

The total number of immigrant aliens crease, however, is noted in the number of aliens debarred for the month "There is no trouble between my of June as compared with May, the

from southern Italy in June was 17 .-223 and from Poland 10,990, against Dr. Farmer has retained an at- 28,058 from southern Italy and 12,353

# \$4,000,000 BY SALES IN WHEAT

Chicago, July 22.- James A. Patten's sales yesterday brought his profits on wheat, since he won his title of "wheat Naivasha, British East Africa, July king," to approximately \$4,000,000.

In the past few days Patten had adhunting on the south shore of Lake ded \$750,000 to his profits, and has Naivasha from the ranch of Captain again caught the market "coming and Richard Attenborough, has done no going." The wheat he has just sold ing a book. The party will arrive at when he was preparing for the sensasuccessful manipulation of the market

In his cotton deals Patten has been of the Roosevelt party are now only equally successful. His sales yesterday were 10,000 bales. They bore a tion having been completed. The profit of \$5 a bale. The sales were Kenya province, where the Roosevelt only a small part of his holdings. expedition will go early next month, which were bought so low that the is situated to the south of the river raiders on the New York market have Gwaso Nyiro and to the east of the been unable to shake him out. His cotton profits for the week are \$250,000.